



RETIRED MEN'S ASSOCIATION OF GREENWICH, Inc. (RMA)
Invites you to its meeting, July 31, 2024, at 11 am at
First Presbyterian Church, 1 West Putnam Ave., Greenwich, CT.
The program will also be shown on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/30IBj21>

Joie Cooney

“Native Americans in Greenwich and Rye”



Find out about the Native Americans who once inhabited our area and learn about their way of life, their experience with Dutch and English settlers, and their enduring legacy. Joie Cooney, a Trustee at the Rye Historical Society and enthusiastic local history researcher, will present "Native Americans in Greenwich and Rye."

Drawing from a wealth of resources, including materials from the archives and collections of the Greenwich Historical Society and Rye Historical Society, insights from local historians, descendants of the Lenape tribe, and esteemed scholars, Cooney will provide a comprehensive overview of thousands of years of Native American history in our region. This presentation aims to illuminate the rich cultural heritage and significant contributions of Native Americans and promote a deeper understanding and appreciation of our shared history.

Established in 1964, the Rye Historical Society is celebrating its 60th anniversary in 2024. Its mission is to bring history to life and promote a stronger community for the present and future through programs, events, collections, and exhibitions. The Rye Historical Headquarters and Square House Museum are located at 1 Purchase St., open 10 am to 4 pm Tuesdays through Fridays and 1 to 4 pm. Saturdays. The historic Timothy Knapp House yard and gardens are at 265 Rye Beach Avenue. For additional information, visit <https://www.ryehistory.org> or call 914-967-7588.

Joie Cooney is a longtime Rye resident and a member of the Board of Trustees at the Rye Historical Society. Alongside lecturing and leading walking tours on local history, she is an independent consultant for healthcare technology startups. Joie is a graduate of the College of William and Mary and obtained her MBA from Columbia Business School.

Our next speaker, on August 7, will be Lawrence Schulman on “Judy Garland: Moments of Magic.”

Note: Location for the August 7 talk will be Christ Church, Greenwich, at 254 East Putnam Avenue.

*The Greenwich Retired Men’s Association offers a free program every Wednesday that is open to the public, both men and women; no reservations are required. Our social break starts at **10:40 am** followed promptly by our presentation at **11:00 am**. For additional information see www.greenwichrma.org.*